

PROSECUTIONS (FISHERY LAWS) (IRELAND).

RETURN to an Order of the Honourable the House of Commons,
dated 26th June, 1901 :—for

“ A RETURN for years 1890 to 1900, inclusive, ending the 31st day of December, of Prosecutions undertaken in Ireland of Masters of Beam or Otter Trawl Vessels for alleged infringement of the By-Laws of the Fishery Board or the provisions of the Acts prohibiting Beam or Otter Trawling within certain waters round the Coasts of Ireland, in the following form, with Summary :—Date of alleged offence, Name, &c., of person charged; Name, letters, and number of beam or otter trawl vessel; Where alleged offence committed; Statute or by-law contravened; Place and date of trial; Result of trial; By whom detected.

“ Summary :—Names, &c., of persons charged more than once during the foregoing period of ten years; Number of times such persons were charged; Total amount of fines; Total length of imprisonment undergone.”

(*Mr. O'Mara.*)

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Year	Date of Arrest or Conviction	Name &c. of Person Charged	Name, Location and Number of Beam or Otter Trawl Vessel	Where Alleged Offence Committed	Statute or By-Law Contravened	Date and Date of Trial	Result of Trial	By Whom Detected
1890	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1891	21st July	James Reynolds,	"Duffy," S. No. 97.	Brandon Bay,	By-Law of 3rd August, 1890.	Cadoganway, 1st September, 1891.	Convicted; fined 1s. and costs, £3.	Divisional Officer, Coast Guard, Dingle.
"	November,	John Adair, Portlaoise,	"Ellen Shaw," B. No. 668.	Dundrum Bay,	By-Law of 8th December, 1891.	Castlewellaux, 5th January, 1892.	Convicted; fined £5 and costs, 1s.	Station Officer, Coast Guard, Newcastle, Co. Down.
1892	5th June,	George Dickson, 455, Wholesale-Lane, New Gleng, Galloway	"Gaelic," G. T. No. 433.	Off Portrush,	By-Law of 5th August, 1890.	Portrush, 28th June, 1892.	Convicted, fined £5, with forfeiture of travel and gear.	Chief Officer, Coast Guard, Portrush.
1893	9th and 10th August.	Alexander James Downes, Monkstown.	"Queen Mary," Cuttyhogue Yacht.	Dublin Bay,	By-Law of 10th October, 1892.	Kingstown, 14th August, 1893.	Convicted, fined £10, with forfeiture of travel.	Chief Officer, Coast Guard, Kingstown.
1894	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1895	9th November,	James Purcell, 10, Thompson-street, Ringsend.	"Seagull," D. No. 502.	Dublin Bay,	By-Law of 10th October, 1892.	Kingstown, 26th November, 1895. Appeal heard at Kilmaholm, 9th January, 1896.	Case dismissed, but decision of Magistrate reversed on appeal, and fine of £25 imposed.	Chief Officer, Coast Guard, Kingstown.
"	"	William Reardon, 52, Castlebridge-road, Ringsend.	"Dodge," D. No. 541.	do,	do,	do,	do,	do
"	13th November,	Alexander McKenna, Quay-street, Ballinacorney.	"Ayrshire Lass," D. No. 526.	East Coast, off Laytown.	By-Law of 31st December, 1879.	Ballinacorney, 11th December, 1895.	Convicted, fined 10s. and costs.	Station Officer, Coast Guard, Laytown.

1896	1896	Robert Malone, Thornehill-street, Ringsend.	"Naomi," D, No. 130,	East Coast, between Skerries & Chelmer Head.	do,	Dublin Police Court, 29th February and 29th March, 1896.	Case dismissed.	Officer commanding the Cruiser "Fanny."
"	"	Thomas McDonald, 6, Campbell-street, Ringsend.	"Crescent," D, No. 67.	do,	do,	do,	do,	do.
"	"	James Clarke, 22, Campbell-street, Ringsend.	"Liffey," D, No. 123.	do,	do,	do,	do,	do.
"	"	William Pellan, Estabrooke Cottages, Ringsend.	"Lilly," D, No. 55.	do,	do,	do,	do,	do.
"	"	Thomas Byrne, Inishloun-road.	"Granville," D, No. 204.	do,	do,	do,	do,	do.
"	21st March,	John Pettit,	"General Roberts," D, No. 93.	Galway Bay,	By-Law of 14th December, 1891.	Galway, 26th March, 1896.	Convicted; fined 25, with forfeiture of travel.	Officer commanding H. M. S. "Albatross."
"	"	T. J. Walsh,	"Trilby," D, No. 93.	do,	do,	do,	do,	do.
"	1st July,	Thomas Yeggar,	"Taylor Finner," D, No. 272.	Dundrum Bay,	By-Law of 3rd December, 1891.	Castleswellan, 7th July, 1896.	Convicted; fined 4/10 and costs.	Divisional Officer, Coast Guard, New-castle.
"	6th December,	James Peters,	"Clay," D, No. 135.	do,	do,	Castleswellan, 5th January, 1897.	Convicted; fined £50, and forfeiture of net.	do.
"	17th December,	Richard Russell,	"Bosnia," F D, No. 135.	do,	do,	do,	do,	do.
"	18th December,	James B. Wayman, Promenade-road, Freetown.	"Adriatic," H, No. 190.	do,	do,	do,	do,	do.

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Year.	Dates of Alleged Offence.	Name, &c., of Person Charged.	Name, Letter, and Number of Trawl Vessel.	Where Alleged Offence Committed.	Statute or By-Law Under which.	Place and Date of Trial.	Result of Trial.	By Whom Instituted.
1897	31st October.	John Nagle.	" Evelyn."	Barley Bay.	By-Law of 4th June, 1894.	Downpatrick, 15th December, 1897.	Convicted; fined £2.	Royal Irish Constabulary, Bantry.
"	25th October.	Charles McCarthy, Martin McCarthy, Pat Nagle, John Goggin.	" Bonito."	do.	do.	do.	Convicted; fined £1. do. Convicted; fined 5s. do.	do.
1898	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1899	14th and 25th September.	Isaac Sloan, Buncrana.	Nat. known.	Lough Swilly.	By-Law of 3rd November, 1897.	Ballinacorney, 15th January, 1899. Conviction affirmed on appeal at Lifford.	Convicted; fined £2, with forfeiture of trawl.	Mr. J. Ewerden, Rushmalton.
"	28th September.	William Lynch, Buncrana.	Do.	do.	do.	do.	Convicted, fined 10s., with forfeiture of trawl.	do.
"	"	John Bonar, Buncrana.	Do.	do.	do.	do.	Convicted; fined £2, with forfeiture of trawl.	do.
1900	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

SUMMARY.

Number Ac. of Persons charged more than once during the jumping Period of Ten Years.	Number of Times each Person was charged	Total Amount of Fines	Total Length of Imprisonment Undergone.
NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.

I hereby certify that the Return on the foregoing pages, Nos. 2 to 5, being a Return for years 1890 to 1900, inclusive, ending the 31st day of December, of Prosecutions undertaken in Ireland of Masters of Beam or Otter Trawl Vessels for alleged infringement of the By-Laws of the Fishery Board or the provisions of the Acts prohibiting Beam or Otter Trawling within certain waters round the Coasts of Ireland, with Summary, is correct.

WILLIAM SPENSWOOD GREEN,

Chief Inspector (Fisheries Branch),

11th July, 1901.

T. P. GILL,

Secretary.

Department of Agriculture and Technical
Instruction for Ireland.

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